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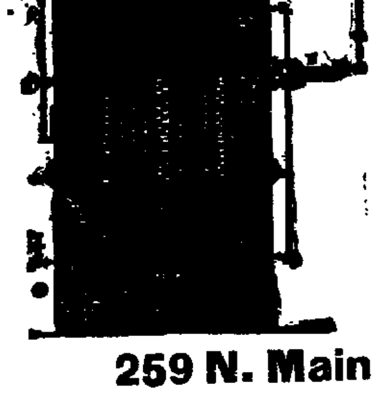

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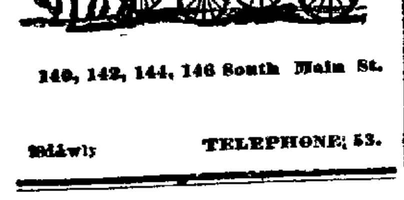

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BLACK FOR BLAINE

Such Is the Aspect of Affairs According to the Latest Returns from the Election.

New York Believed to Have Given a Plurality of Over 1,000 for Governor Cleveland.

Indiana Evidently Goes Democratic by a Comfortable Majority—The News from Other States.

The Republican and Democratic National Committees Issue Addresses Claiming Victory.

THE ELECTIONS.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7, 4:30 a. m.—In its third edition this morning the *Tribune* publishes the Associated Press dispatch giving the State to Cleveland, but adheres to its original conviction that Blaine is elected. It also places Nevada among the Blaine States and gives him 218 Electoral votes.

The *Sun* in its second edition announces in its headlines: "Cleveland elected. He carries New York State by 1,200 plurality—a sudden flop at two a. m." It changes the totals of the State plurality, making Cleveland's figures 1,204. The *Sun* gives the caption to the Associated Press report: "Agreeing with the *Sun* at last."

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The *Sun* this morning publishes a tabulated statement of the vote of counties, showing a plurality for Cleveland in New York of 1,104.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7, 1:30 a. m.—The official vote of the counties cuts down Blaine's plurality by districts, and indicates that Cleveland will have a plurality in the State. The official vote of fifty-six counties gives a plurality for Blaine of 69,384, and for Cleveland of 60,297. An estimate on the four counties not in gives pluralities for Blaine of 9,319 and 487 for Cleveland, which would give Cleveland a net plurality in the State of 831.

2 A. M.—Official county returns, and very close figures on the twelve counties which have not been officially reportd, indicate that Cleveland's plurality reaches nearly 1,000 in the State. The official returns show heavy Democratic gains.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The wild excitement existing throughout the city all culminated last night in the crazy antics of Democrats and Republicans. Such scenes as were enacted in the vicinity of the newspaper offices and in front of Democratic and Republican headquarters have never been equaled in this city. The roar and tumult of election night was insignificant compared with the demonstrations of last night. All day the fever had been getting more and more pronounced. Business was distracted. Great crowds hung about the bulletins throughout the city with no thought of employment or food. It was next to impossible to get even a messenger boy. The *Telegram* appeared with an incendiary leader headed by large type, charging the Republicans with attempts to steal New York and Indiana and casting grave suspicions on Jay Gould, the Western Union Telegraph Company and the Associated Press. This created a sensation, and so turbulent did the people become that leaders of both parties expected momentarily to have riots. Extra platoons of police were hurried to the National Republican headquarters on Fifth avenue, and a large number of detectives were distributed through the crowd. Nothing serious happened.

W. B. Somerville and W. H. French, of the Associated Press, denied emphatically that they have delayed, changed, or in any way interfered with returns, and denounce all charges against them by the *Telegram* and the *World* as untrue.

A very general expression from business men, secured through interviews, deprecates the incendiary tone of the extras. They beg of newspaper editors to be cool and guarded, and send out only calm, dispassionate words. A great fear exists that the lawless element in this city will seize upon the existing uncertainty as an excuse for creating trouble. A committee of merchants and lawyers are in conference to take measures to protect the city from trouble.

At a meeting of representatives of all the Democratic organizations in the city, a committee was appointed to act in conjunction with the Democratic National Committee to take such action as may be deemed necessary to prevent any duplicity or falsifying of the election returns.

The committee of business men met the committee of lawyers at the Fifth Avenue Hotel late last night. A. J. Vanderpool, C. S. Fairchild, General Francis C. Barlow, W. G. Peckham, and many other eminent lawers made up the legal committee. W. H. Barnum and Senators Jonas and Gorman represented the National Democratic Committee. The company passed resolutions to proceed at once to gather the official returns of this State and to punish all parties found guilty of fraud, regardless of the party they may be joined with.

ADDRESS OF CHAIRMAN JONES.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The following address was issued late yesterday afternoon:

"HEADQUARTERS REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE, NEW YORK CITY, Nov. 6.—The Republican National Committee rejoices that the returns now received warrant it in announcing the triumphant election of Blaine and Logan. The Republicans have carried every Northern State, except New Jersey and Connecticut. Virginia seems also to have given a majority for the Republican cause and the ticket, and there is a strong probability that West Virginia has also, while other Southern States are still in doubt. The Northern States alone, however, give to Blaine and Logan 225 electoral votes, and insure their election.

In New York attempts to tamper with the returns have already been detected. The actual vote cast in New York City, in Kings County, and in 1,852 other election precincts, give at the utmost only 143 plurality to Grover Cleveland, while 163 precincts, not yet heard from, gave 2,1 1 plurality to Garfield. There is, therefore, no ground for doubt that the honest vote of the State has been given to the Republican candidates, and, though the defeated candidate for the Presidency is at the head of the election machinery in this State, the Democratic party, which has notoriously been a party of fraud in elections for years, will not be permitted to thwart the will of the people.

The National Republican Committee calls on the Chairmen and individual members of all county committees to take the promptest and most stringent means to protect the sanctity of the ballot. The Republican candidates have been honestly elected beyond question. Any attempt to cheat the people and defeat their will thus expressed at the polls must be sternly exposed and resisted by every law-respecting citizen.

(Signed,) B. F. JONES, Chairman."
"SAMUEL FESSENDEN, Secretary."

THE DEMOCRATIC ADDRESS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The Democratic National Committee has issued an address which states "To the people of the United States" that Cleveland and Hendricks are elected, with 219 Electoral votes. The address names the States which have given Democratic majorities, including New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Indiana and West Virginia. The address concludes thus: "No fraud or contrivance can defeat the will of the people of the United States, thus publicly and deliberately declared."

NEW YORK REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7—5 a. m.—The Republican State Committee has issued an address in which, while admitting the closeness of the vote, they claim the State for Blaine and Logan, returns and estimates from the most authentic sources justifying the claim. Nine counties yet remain to be heard from, and advices from those warrant the assertion with entire confidence that the State has gone Republican. The address is signed by James D. Warren, Chairman.

MANNING'S MANIFESTO.

Daniel Manning, Chairman of the Democratic State Committee, has sent the following to the New York *Evening Post*:

"By official returns reported from every county, Cleveland and Hendricks have carried New York State by a safe and sure majority. No machinations or false claims or pretended doubts of Blaine's managers can change this result. The friends of honest government and honest elections can be everywhere assured that the Democratic State Board of Canvassers will see that the true vote is correctly declared.

"(Signed) DANIEL MANNING."

ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—Returns from all counties in Illinois except thirteen have been received on the vote for President. These show a net plurality for Blaine over Cleveland of 20,358. The counties yet to hear from are Bond Calhoun, Cumberland, Fulton, Gallatin, Hardin, Henderson, Jefferson, Kane, McDonough, McHenry and Randolph. In 1880 they gave Hancock a plurality of 104.

Returns on Governor come in very slowly. At twelve o'clock, midnight, twenty-six counties were still missing. The seventy-six from which returns had been received gave Oglesby a net plurality of 2,191. The counties yet to hear from gave Garfield a net plurality over Hancock in 1880 of 8,917. Should they give Oglesby the same his plurality over Harrison would be 11,098 in the State. The Legislature is very close, both parties claiming a majority on joint ballot. It is likely the official count will be required to decide.

INDIANA.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 7.—The official returns from two-thirds of the ninety-two counties in Indiana show an average Republican gain over 1882 of four votes to each precinct, which indicates a Democratic plurality in the State of about 3,000. John C. New does not concede the State to the Democrats, but says that if the counties not yet heard from do not report unexpected gains Cleveland will have a plurality. The Congressmen elected beyond doubt are:

Republicans—Sixth District, Thomas M. Browne, re-elected; Tenth W. D. Owen; Eleventh, George W. Steele, re elected.

Democrats—First District, John J. Klerner; Second, Thomas R. Cobb; Third, James G. Howard; Fourth, W. T. Holman; Fifth, C. C. Matson; Seventh, W. D. Bynum; Ninth, Thomas B. Ward; Twelfth, Robert Lowry; Thirteenth, George Ford. Klerner, Cobb, Holman, Matson, Ward and Lowry are re elected.

The Eighth District is in doubt. The Legislature will be Democratic, indications being that there are only thirty-six Republican Representatives elected against sixty-four Democrats. The full official count will not be known before to day. Both parties held jollifications in this city last night, and there were 30,000 people in the streets cheering, singing and blowing tin horns. The city is in an uproar with riotous hilarity. There have been grave apprehensions of trouble, but nothing serious has occurred yet.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 7, 2:30 a. m.—John C. New, Chairman of the Rebublican State Committee, has just sent a telegram to Mr. Blaine stating that Indiana has gone Democratic. He concedes that the Cleveland Electoral ticket's plurality will be between 3,000 and 5,000.

KANSAS.

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 7.—Complete returns from the various Senatorial and Representative Districts of the State show that the Republicans have elected 95 out of 125 members of the house, and thirty-three of thirty-nine members of the Senate. A majority of each house, it is now ascertained, is pledged to support Ingalls, thus insuring his re-election to the United States Senate. The seven members of Congress from Kansas have all been re-elected, all of them being Republican. The following is the delegation:

First District, E. M. Morrell; Second, E. H. Funston; Third, B. W. Perkins; Fourth, Thomas Ryan; Fifth, John A. Anderson; Sixth, Lewis Hanback; Seventh, S. R. Peters.

This gives Kansas a full Republican delegation of Congressmen and United States Senators.

VIRGINIA.

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 7, 1 a. m.—Returns, mostly official, from 83 counties and all the cities of Virginia, give a majority for Cleveland of 7,450. Seventeen counties remaining to be heard from gave a Democratic majority last year of 1,270. These counties are likely to give the same if not a greater majority now, which will make Cleveland's majority in the State nearly 9,000.

MICHIGAN.

DETROIT, Mich. Nov. 7.—Algers, Republican candidate for Governor, total pluralities 16,433; Begole, Fusionist, 15,907. Alger over Begole, 526. The latest figures on Congressmen indicate the election of six fusion Democrats and five Republicans, as follows: Republicans — Allen in Second, O'Donnell in Third, Burrows in 4th, Cutcheon in Ninth, Moffat in Eleventh. Democrats—Maybury in the First, Comstock in Fifth, Winans in Sixth, Carleton in Seventh, Tarsney in Eighth, Fisher in Tenth. The Fifth is close, but this is probably the correct delegation. It is the same as has been, but each party gained and lost one. Prohibition was a much smaller vote than expected, but was not all reported. The State Legislature has 13 Republican Senators; Fusionists, 19. Representatives—51 Fusionists, 49 Republicans.

From reports from 1,083 precincts and estimates of the remaining precincts the Democratic State Committee places the Republican plurality at about 1,500. The Republican State Committee claims the State and the Electoral tickets by 7,000 plurality. All the reports received indicate Blaine's plurality as 3,553, and Alger's as 1,251.

WISCONSIN.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 7.—The returns from the State are not entirely in, but Secretary Payne says the State will give Blaine about 13,000 plurality. The Prohibition vote in the State is thought to be about 4,000. For Congress, Caswell, Republican, in the First District, got 5,560 plurality; Bragg, Democrat, in the Second, 4,381; Lafollette, Republican, in the Third, 400; Van Schaick, Republican, in the Fourth, 700; Rankin, Democrat, in the Fifth, about 4,500; Guenther, Republican, Sixth, 1,550; Thomas, Republican, in the Seventh, about 1,500; Price, Republican, in the Eighth, 6,000; Stephenson, Republican, in the Ninth, 2,500. This is a gain of four to the Republicans. The Legislature is Republican by about twelve in the House and eight in the Senate, or twenty on joint ballot. This insures a Republican United States Senator from this State next winter.

NEVADA.

VIRGINIA CITY, Nov., Nov. 7, midnight.—It is now probable that the State will give a Republican majority of about 800. Cassidy, for Congress, has, contrary to all expectations, been defeated by the Republican candidate Woodburn. The majority of the latter will probably be about 400.

FLORIDA.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Nov. 7.—Correct returns from all the counties in the State except three give Cleveland 4,600 majority. Two of the three counties to be heard from are strongly Democratic. Bisbee (Rep.) concedes the election of Dougherty (Dem.) to Congress in the Second District by 1,000 majority.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 7.—Returns received up to ten o'clock last night confirm the report that California has given Blaine a large majority. Careful estimates place it at 18,000, including 2,500 in San Francisco.

MINNESOTA.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 7.—Minnesota will give about 85,000 majority for Blaine. The Republicans elect every member of Congress by majorities ranging from 2,000 to 10,000, and the Legislature is decidedly Republican. Nothing further than this will be known until the official returns are received.

WEST VIRGINIA.

WHEELING, W. Va., Nov. 7.—The latest returns are very meager. The Secretary of the State Republican Committee concedes the State to the Democrats by 1,000, a Republican gain of over 4,000. The Republicans elect two Congressmen, an increase of one.

MISSOURI.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 7.—Sixty-one of the 114 counties in Missouri give Marmaduke (Dem.), for Governor, aggregate majorities of 23,037; Ford (Fusion), for Governor, 18,514. Marmaduke has been extensively scratched in various parts of the State, but the Democrats say he will have 30,000 plurality over Ford. Returns from the above counties do not include the vote for Presidential Electors. The vote for Cleveland and Blaine can not, therefore, be given.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 7, Midnight.—Reported (and in a few cases official) majorities from seventy-six counties of this State and the city of St. Louis give Marmaduke, Democrat, for Governor, less than 3,000 majority over Ford, Fusion Democrat. The Chairman and Secretary of the Democratic State Committee claim Marmaduke's majority in the State will be over 10,000, but the Republicans here assert it will be less than 8,000. This result is a general surprise and is attracting marked attention.

FLORIDA.

JACKSONVILLE, Nov. 7.—The indications are that the Democrats have carried the State by majorities ranging from 1,000 to 4,000, with a gain of one Congressman.

RIOTOUS SCENES IN BOSTON.

BOSTON, Nov. 7.—Interest in the result of the election continues unabated in this city. As the returns are announced upon the *Herald* bulletins and from the *Journal* bulletins directly opposite, the crowds cheer or hiss as the result is favorable to the preferences of the observer. Papers were seized from boys and burned; pictures of Blaine and Cleveland were seized by the crowd and destroyed, and there have been many personal encounters. The crowd broke one of the large plate-glass windows of the *Journal* office, and rotten eggs and stones have been thrown at the building. Six persons have been arrested in connection with the newspaper burning.

IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—All day yesterday the bulletins displayed at the various newspaper offices and at the Palmer and Grand Pacific were eagerly scanned by large crowds. So many people were assembled between the *Tribune* and *Inter Ocean* offices that travel was seriously interfered with. At one time the crowd became so noisy and riotous that Mayor Harrison directed that no more bulletins be displayed, and had an extra force of police on hand to maintain order.

Shortly after eleven o'clock last night the Democrats marched east on Madison street. At the corner of Dearborn street the procession encountered for the fourth or fifth time the crowd of Republicans gathered there. Many members of the crowd and of the procession carried pine sticks. When the procession attempted to force itself through the crowd, the sticks were used as clubs by both parties, the banners were torn, and the procession broken up. This was sufficient to start the rumor of a riot, and the police were notified. In a few minutes the Harrison street patrol wagon was on the corner, but the crowd had dispersed and all was quiet. Five minutes later more patrol wagons, filled with policemen and drawn by panting horses, began to arrive, until eight wagons formed a hollow square at the corner, and some fifty officers mingled with the crowd. No arrests were made, and no further riotous demonstrations occurred.

GOVERNOR CLEVELAND.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 7.—Governor Cleveland said last night: "I believe I have been elected President, and that nothing but the grossest fraud can keep me out of it, and that we will not permit." General Carr, Secretary of State and a Republican, says: "There is no chance of stealing this State, not as long as I have charge of the affair. I don't propose that anybody shall steal the State. If Mr. Cleveland has a plurality, large or small, he will get it. The same is true of the other candidate. I don't propose to play any Southern game. No matter whether it is friend or foe with me, he has to have his justice."

MR. BLAINE.

AUGUSTA, Nov. 7.—Mr. Blaine said last night that he had treated the Republican nomination as an honorable trust confided to him without solicitation, and he had, therefore, spared no time and no effort to secure success. He had full confidence that he had been fairly elected, and he trusted every effort would be made to vindicate the sacredness of the ballot. "To quote my own saying on an important occasion," added Mr. Blaine, "any party in the United States can bear to be defeated, but no party will bear to be defrauded." Mr. Blaine freely expressed his judgment that a majority of the votes of New York had been cast for the Republican Electoral ticket.

THE PROHIBITION VOTE.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—The *Evening News* has the following:

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The total Prohibition vote of the country will aggregate 200,000. Four years ago it was less than 11,000, and it has decided the Presidential contest in New York. Cleveland's majority is about 2,000. Official returns will not materially change the figures. The Prohibition vote in New York is fully 25,000. The Prohibition vote in Allegheny, Monroe and Orleans Counties alone would have carried the State for Blaine if cast for him. The Prohibitionists have stood up to be counted and rebuked the insult offered the temperance men at the Chicago Conventions, and this vote has made prohibition a National issue which will not go out of National politics until the beer-shop and drunkery have gone from America. The Republican party having been removed from the path to the grave-yard, the Prohibitionists will at once organize to bury the whisky Democrats four years ahead. I am fully satisfied we had no choice between the candidates of the old parties, but were fighting to elect an issue, and we have won. The work to make the issue win in 188 has already begun.

"JOHN B. FINCH,"

"Chairman National Prohibition Committee."

CLEVELAND'S ELECTION ANNOUNCED IN LONDON.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—The *Daily News* officially declares that Mr. Cleveland is elected. It adds that it is impossible to over-estimate the importance and significance of the result. It is a moral victory, and inaugurates a new era in United States politics.

THE CANADIAN FLOODS.

Nearly Half a Million of Damage—Wharves, Shipping and Houses Destroyed—Waves Sixty Feet High—Two Lives Lost.

QUEBEC, Nov. 7.—The loss by the high tide Wednesday night is now estimated at $250,000. Another high tide has taken place last night, but it is not expected to be as damaging as that of Wednesday. Dispatches from various points along the St. Lawrence state that there was not such a storm as that of last night for the past fifty years. So far no lives are reported lost. At Paspebiac a fishery establishment was considerably damaged, and also several fishing boats. At Little Metis all the houses along the shore were carried off, also boats, fences, bridges and the shore is strewn with debris and household effects. The suffering from cold and hunger is intense. At L'Islet the damage is estimated at $15,000. All the shops in the village are flooded. The wharves are more or less damaged and the pavements in the streets has floated off, and the village is in a dilapidated state. At Matane Price Bros. & Co.'s wharf has been carried away. Several persons have been obliged to leave their houses. The damage is about $5,000. Considerable damage was done at Tadousac, but can not be estimated at present. At Trois Pistoles three yachts and a schooner were destroyed, the wharf carried away, and other damage done to the amount of $30,000. Two ships which were off Kamouraska yesterday are missing. They may have dropped their anchors or run for Quebec. Two schooners at Brandy Pots broke their chains and went adrift. At River-du-Loup the old wreck of the Margaret M. was washed ashore, and another schooner went ashore near there. The steamer Union had a very narrow escape from wrecking while lying at the wharf at Les Eboulements. The passengers were all landed at the commencement of the gale. The cargo was damaged by the rolling and shipping of seas. At Sandy Bar fourteen houses were carried away. The loss is about $25,000.

FARTHER POINT, Nov. 7.—The storm raged furiously during the night. Pilots of fifty years' experience, who remained in the Signal Bureau all night, state that they do not remember ever having seen and felt such a storm. The waves mounted to a height of fifty to sixty feet. At one time during the night they fully expected to be wiped out. The water is still roaring and splashing. A party of boatmen sent out with a pilot to board the steamship Lake Nepigon, on her way to Quebec, returned minus two of their number, who were washed overboard and not afterward seen.

A Street-Car Company in a Tight Place.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Nov. 7.—The car-drivers' strike continues. No street cars are running, and this causes great inconvenience. The City Council last night instructed the City Attorney to take the necessary proceedings to annul all rights and privileges granted by the city to the street railroads for violating contracts with the city in failing to run cars on schedule time.

Society of Mechanical Engineers.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The American Society of Mechanical Engineers yesterday, at their annual meeting, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, J. F. Holloway, of Cleveland, O.; Treasurer, William J. Wiley, of New York, and Secretary, F. R. Hatton, of New York. Papers on scientific topics were read during the day.

A Steamer Burned.

SOUTH HAVEN, Mich., Nov. 7.—The steamer Grace Grummond, of the South Haven and Chicago line, burned at her dock here Tuesday night, and is a total loss. She was valued at $30,000, and was owned principally in Chicago.

Failure in New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—Abel D. Breed, merchant, of 39 Broadway, made an assignment yesterday for the benefit of his creditors to William Lindsay, giving preferences amounting to $160,000.

A WIFE'S CRIME.

The Terrible Deed Committed by a Wife and Mother in Chicago.

Crazed by Her Husband's Treatment, She Murders Him and Her Little Child.

Horrified at Her Awful Action, She Attempts Suicide, and Will Most Probably Die.

MURDERED BY HIS WIFE.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—A woman with bloody hands, carrying a dead baby in her arms, rushed across Laflin street yesterday afternoon about four o'clock and rang the doorbell of Mrs. Kennedy's residence, No. 17. When that lady came to the door the woman with the bloody hands cried out: "Oh, Mrs. Kennedy, there is something wrong with my baby! It gasps so!" She held the little one up, and blood oozed from its white forehead. "Why, Mrs. Gardner, your baby's dead!" cried Mrs. Kennedy, seizing the lifeless child. Mrs. Gardner looked about her blankly for a moment, then with a piercing scream she rushed across the floor to one of the front windows. "Come across the street," she cried; "I have killed my husband." Then she fled out of the house and across the street to No. 16. Just inside the hall door, lying with his hand in a pool of blood on the floor, and his feet on the lower step of the stairs, was the inanimate form of Dr. Schuyler Gardner. His wife leaned over him, wrung her hands, and cried: "Come back! come back!" Then she went up-stairs, carrying her dead baby.

A moment before this Mrs. Baker, who occupies the first floor of the house, heard a fall, and on going into the hall found the dead man. She ran out and called Mr. Behrens, the druggist at the corner of Madison street and Laflin avenue. He called the patrol wagon. Two officers came and removed the dead man. He had a bullet wound in the left temple and another on the right side of his head. When the officers went up-stairs they found Mrs. Gardner sitting in a chair, perfectly crazed, while the unfortunate baby lay in a cradle, dead. Mrs. Gardner was shot behind the left ear. She was removed to the County Hospital. Her injuries are thought to be of a fatal character.

The house at 16 Laflin street is a three-story brick, and stands in a row on the west side of the street. It was rented some three months ago to Dr. Schuyler Gardner, a magnetic physician. The family consisted of his wife, Della M. Gardner, a fifteen-months-old daughter, and Mrs. Gardner, the wife's mother. The doctor was a fine-looking man of forty-four years of age, and the wife a lady-like brunette about twenty-eight. They were first cousins, and had been married eight years ago in Jefferson County, N. Y. The mother-in-law had lived with them about six years.

The couple seemed to have lived happily till about a year ago, when the doctor lost some money, and became rather crabbed in his manner and complained of his wife's behavior. All the friends say that there was not the slightest ground for the doctor's complaints, but it seemed to prey very much on Mrs. Gardner, who told her friends that it nearly drove her crazy, as she was wrapped up in her husband and child. Mrs. Gardner, the mother-in-law, said she had lived with Dr. Gardner and his wife six years, and the doctor had always treated her with the greatest kindness, and petted his wife like a baby. Recently he had had some financial troubles, and this had caused him to find fault with his wife, for which he had no cause. Her daughter was greatly worried at it, and had frequently told her it would drive her crazy. Yesterday the doctor had said he was going away to Rock Falls, and he refused to say whether he was coming back or not. His trunk had been sent on, and he had bidden her good-bye before she heard the shooting. Her daughter had pleaded with the doctor not to leave her, and she was sure his refusals to listen to her had driven her out of her mind.

Under the sofa in Mrs. Gardner's room was found the pistol lying in a box with the cover off. It is a small "blue jacket" seven-shooter, twenty-two caliber, and six chambers were discharged. Dr. Gardner and his family were in the habit of taking their meals at Stone's restaurant, and Mr. and Mrs. Stone say that the doctor was in there about one o'clock, apparently cheerful. Mrs. Gardner was in about two hours before the shooting. She was friendly with Mrs. Stone, and that lady says she has acted strangely for some time. As she was leaving yesterday afternoon Mrs. Stone asked after the baby, when Mrs. Gardner said she thought her heart would break, and burst out crying. Every one in the neighborhood speaks in the highest terms of Mrs. Gardner as a most kind-hearted lady.

A Mining Town Swept by Fire.

GEORGETOWN, Col., Nov. 7.—Silver Plume, a mining town of about five hundred inhabitants, about three miles west of here, was almost totally destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. The flames were first discovered about one o'clock, and before any organized effort could be made were beyond control. Soon forty of the best buildings, embracing the entire business part of the town, were destroyed. Assistance was sent from this place, and succeeded in saving the residence portion. Patrick Barrett, an old resident, who was addicted to drink, perished in the ruins of his cabin. The loss is variously estimated at from $100,000 to $200,000; insurance about $55,000.

Burned by Strikers.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 7.—Three bridges on the Straitsville branch of the Columbus, Hocking Valley and Toledo Road were burned yesterday morning. The loss is about $10,000. The wires were cut and communication with the general offices was shut off till yesterday. The bridges are all in the same neighborhood, between Straitsville and Nelsonville. Before the firing of the bridges, a party of unknown men appeared in Murray City and threw bombs from the hill sides which were exploded.

Fifteen American Seamen Drowned.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 7.—News was received here yesterday that the schooner Wild Gazelle has been lost at the Choumogin Islands, off the coast of Siberia, in the Ochotsk Sea. Fifteen of the crew were drowned. The vessel, which was owned by Captain Lawson, left this port in October for a codfishing cruise.

Walked Away With $2,000.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 7.—A few minutes after one o'clock Wednesday two well-dressed men entered the office of the St. Louis Smelting Company, No. 417 Pine street, and, while one of them engaged the manager in conversation, the other enterered a private office and walked off with a satchel containing $2,000. Both made their escape.

OLD WORLD NEWS.

Death of the English Postmaster-General—Reappearance of Cholera at Naples—France and China—Other Matters.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—Henry Fawcett, Postmaster-General and Professor of Political Economy at Cambridge University, is dead.

Thomas Shaw, member of Parliament from Halifax, who has before been mentioned in connection with the Postal Department, has been appointed successor of the late Postmaster-General Fawcett.

[Henry Fawcett was born in 1833 and graduated with the highest mathematical honors from Trinity Hall, Cambridge, in 1855. Soon after he was made blind for life through the result of an accidental discharge of his father's gun while both were out shooting. In spite of this calamity Henry Fawcett turned his attention to the study of economic science, and he soon became professor of political economy in the university, a position he held at the time of his death. His lecture room was ever crowded. In 1867 Mr. Fawcett married Miss Millicent Garrett, by whom he leaves several children. At the time of his death he was Postmaster General and represented the Borough of Hackney in the House of Commons.]

LONDON, Nov. 7.—The steadiness of American securities on the Stock Exchange under the election excitement is the subject of comment by the press.

The Pall Mall *Gazette* holds that this steadiness is a striking illustration of the stability of Democratic institutions. A similar crisis in any other country would convulse prices. A Nation of fifty millions of people decides the fate of its Government in a closely contested election, which is conducted with wild excitement from the shores of the Atlantic to the Pacific, with less effect upon the stock market than a report that King Alfonso had a cold in his head would affect the Spanish Bourse.

SHANGHAI, Nov. 7.—The Chinese Council of State has failed to arrange for the settlement of the difficulty with France. The Government insists upon the attendance of Li Hung Chang, Viceroy of the Pee Chi Li, at Pekin.

China has paid England the indemnity for damages incurred by the British subjects during the riots at Canton in 1883.

PARIS, Nov. 7. — The *Journal Des Debats* says the Government has contracted with a shipping company for the conveyance of 5,000 troops in Tonquin.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—Sir George Bowen, Governor of Hong Kong, has received orders to stop the French men-of-war from making repairs in the harbor, and not to allow them to load war material at that port.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—The Paris correspondent of the *Times* says that the Franco-Chinese conflict could easily be adjusted if England and America together would use their influence with both the warring powers.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—There is a virtual rebellion in the Isle of Skye. The crofters threaten to resist the armed police.

The boilers in the iron works at Stafford exploded yesterday. Four persons were killed and twenty injured.

The Marquis of Londonderry is dead. His full name was George Henry Robert Charles William Vane Tempest.

CAIRO, Nov. 7.—According to native reports the rebels are concentrating their forces on all the routes leading to Khartoum. Native spies allege that the Mehdi has sent guns and ammunition to Osman Digna to enable him to resume operations on the Red Sea littoral.

NAPLES, Nov. 7.—The cholera has reappeared in this city. Within the past twenty-four hours there have been seven cases and two deaths reported.

NEWS NOTES.

The Bank of England has advanced the rate of discount to five per cent.

The St. Paul Road reports earnings of $2,530,795 for the month of October.

The New Jersey Central Road will pay a quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent. after December 1.

Mr. Moody, the well-known evangelist, began a convention for Christian workers Thursday at Montreal.

Dr. James A. Reed, Superintendent of the insane asylum at Pittsburgh, died suddenly from kidney disease.

Mrs. Millie A. Rood, of Lemont, Ill., has sued the village authorities for $5,000 damages for the death of her husband in a ditch left open at night.

The railways centering at Chicago have made a rate of $25 for round-trip tickets to the World's Fair at New Orleans, which will open next month.

The insolvent Lockport (N. Y.) Banking Association owes $80,037.41, of which $75,614.14 is deposits. The actual assets indicate a shortage of $34,000.

Nearly all the business men in Lynnville, Ia., have been ruined by the failure of Gause & Macy, bankers. The liabilities of the latter prove to be about $70,000.

A mob prevented the ex-priest, Father Chiniquy, from lecturing Wednesday night at Montreal. They broke the windows of the hall and demolished the lamps and furniture. Aided by the police, Chinquy and a few friends escaped in carriages.

The Passenger War.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The New York Central ticket offices in this city yesterday began selling first-class tickets to Chicago for $12 and second-class for $11. The rates to other points are as follows: Cincinnati, $12 and $11; St. Louis, $15 and $14; Cleveland, $9.50; Indianapolis, $14. The announcement of the cut was quickly circulated among the agents of the rival lines. Mr. Skinner, Eastern Passenger Agent of the West Shore, immediately issued orders to meet the rates of the Central. Delaware and Lackawanna and Pennsylvania Roads continued to sell tickets to Chicago at the old rates of $15 and $20. Men conversant with railroad matters say that the Pennsylvania will be compelled ere long to put its rates down in order to get its share of passenger business. "When that company begins to take this step," an agent said, "look out for a blood-red war."

A Large Sum to Pay.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 7.—The score of insurance adjusters who have been in the city since the burning of Chapman's dry-goods store, yesterday agreed upon a settlement with T. A. Chapman. The building was insured for $130,000 and the stock for $322,500. Both were destroyed, and the full insurance, $452,500, will be paid to Mr. Chapman. The companies have sixty days' time to pay the loss. Mr. Chapman's loss over insurance is $125,000. The losses of Stark Bros. and other victims of the fire, amounting to $150,000, have not been adjusted.

Taxation in Canada.

MONTREAL, Nov. 7.—Canada's revenue for the fiscal year which closed June 30 last was $32,000,000. This is a tremendous amount to raise from a population not so large as that of the State of Pennsylvania by general taxation. Allowing as much more for local taxation—which is a low estimate—we have about $16 per capita for the whole population of all ages. This taxation is so excessive as to be hardly compatible with prosperity. All of the $32,000,000 of revenue was spent except $800,000.

TEN LIVES LOST.

A Brace of Horrible Accidents Reported from the Pennsylvania Mining Districts.

A Dynamite Factory Explodes, Killing Three Men—Its Force Felt for Nearly Five Miles.

Seven Men Killed and Five Wounded by the Fall of a Furnace-Stack at Robesonia.

DEATH IN TWO SHAPES.

READING, Pa., Nov. 7.—A terrible disaster occurred this afternoon at Stouchsburg, a small village in the western part of this county. Shortly before three o'clock the dynamite works of H. W. Stump & Co., located about three quarters of a mile from the town, exploded, causing the instant death of three men and the fatally injuring of two others. The force of the explosion was terrible and was felt distinctly in this city, eighteen miles distant. The noise was like an earthquake, and the five buildings connected with the works were blown to atoms. Two of the men were hurled a distance of 300 feet, and were so horribly mutilated that their bodies could only be recognized by the strips of clothing which clung to the bits of bleeding flesh scattered about the premises. One of the men was blown high in the air, and part of his body was found lodged in the branches of a large oak tree a hundred feet away. Those injured but not yet dead were working outside on a scaffolding and were pitched headlong to the ground and buried beneath the ruins. When the debris was removed both men were found bleeding and unconscious. The names of the victims are as follows, the three first named having been instantly killed: Frank Slatz, Joseph Krouse, Frank Kapp, Harry Smith, Wm. Gross.

The buildings in the neighborhood were badly shaken. Doors and shutters were torn from their hinges and windows smashed. The Lutheran Church was completely demolished and several dwellings were unroofed. In the three hundred or more dwellings in the town, only a few of the window panes remain unbroken. In Womelsdorf, Sheridan, Robesonia, Newmanstown and Richland, neighboring villages, the shock was so severe as to topple over chimneys and break hundreds of windows.

ROBESONIA, Pa., Nov. 7.—This village was the scene of a terrible and distressing accident shortly before three o'clock yesterday afternoon, which resulted in the instant death of seven men, and the serious injury of five others. The men were engaged in lining one of the large stacks connected with Ferguson & White's furnace near the town. The stack is about one hundred and sixty feet high. Seven of the men were working at the bottom, and the other five near the top. Suddenly, and without a moment's warning the structure began to tremble and toppled partly over, precipitating about sixty tons of brick and other material upon those at the bottom, crushing them to death. Those on the top were also plunged into the stack, but by hard work the villagers and employes succeeded in extricating them alive, although several were so badly injured that they may die. Robesonia is only five miles from the scene of the terrible dynamite explosion at Stouchsburg yesterday afternoon. It is believed that the shock produced by the explosion caused the stack to fall. The damage may probably reach $25,000. The killed are: Joseph Reed, David Buckley, Henry Spangler, Henry Foot, Fred Foreman, Monroe Peifer, David Harden.

The injured are as follows: Louis Dettrich, John Weinhold, Charles Boyer, Jacob Fox, James McClosky.

The two latter it is thought can not recover. After several hours hard work the injured were taken out from the top, but only two of the seven killed have been removed.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Provisions.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.

FLOUR—Dull and easy. Spring, $3 50@4.00; low grades, $2.00@3.00; Patents, $4.75@5.25; Rye Flour, $2.90@3.25.

WHEAT—Feeling unsettled. No. 2 Spring, 73⅞@74⅛c; No. 3, 59¼c; No. 2 Red, 75c; No. 3, 64c; No. 2 Spring December, 75⅞@76c; January, 76@76⅞c.

CORN—Market moderately active and prices easier. No. 2, 41¾@42c for cash; 41¾@42¼c for November; 38¾@38⅞c for the year, and 39⅞@39⅜c for May. High Mixed, 42¾@43c; Rejected, 38½@39c.

OATS—Rather quiet and prices steady. No. 2, 25¼@25⅜c for cash, November and the year, and 28⅞@29¼c for May.

RYE—Quiet and unchanged. No. 2 cash, 50c; November, 51c; Rejected, 45c.

BARLEY—steady. No. 2 cash, 58c; No. 3, 41c; sample lots, 45@65c.

MESS PORK—Rather active and prices ruled easier, ranging at $13.25@13.50 for cash; $11.40@11.45 for the year, $11.40@11.60 for January, and $11.00@11.65 for February.

LARD—Prices easier, ranging at $7.10@7.15 for cash; $7.00@7.02½ for November, $6.95@7.02½ for January, and $7.05@7.10 for February.

BUTTER—Market quiet. Creamery, good to choice 22@25c; dairy, good to choice, 15@17c.

CHEESE—Market steady. Full Cream Cheddar, 10@12½c; Skimmed Cheddar, 2@8c.

EGGS—Quiet. Sales were made at 20@21c for fresh lots.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.

FLOUR—Dull and in buyers' favor.

WHEAT—Opened steady, but later declined ¼@½c. No. 1 White, nominal; No. 2 Red November, 83⅞@84⅛c; December, 85⅞@85⅝c; January, 87¼@87⅝c; February, 89¼@90c; March, 91@91¼c.

CORN—¼@⅜c lower and rather quiet. Mixed Western spot, 53@55c; futures, 47@50½c.

OATS—Dull and a shade lower. Western, 35@37c.

PROVISIONS—Beef quiet and unchanged. Pork quiet and steady; New Mess, $14.50. Lard dull and easier; Steam rendered, $7.55.

BUTTER—Quiet and steady; Western, 9@30c.

CHEESE—Dull at 1½@12¼c.

EGGS—Western steady at 24c.

DETROIT, Nov. 6.

FLOUR — Steady. Michigan Winter Wheat, $3 75@4.00; roller process, $4.00@4.50; patents, $5.00@5.25; Minnesota patents, $5.75@6.00.

WHEAT—Dull but firm. No. 1 White cash and November, 77¼c; December, 81¼c; No. 2 Red cash and November, 81c.

CORN—No. 2 cash, 43¼c.

OATS—No. 2 White, 28¾c; No. 2, 27c.

TOLEDO, Nov. 6.

WHEAT—Weak. No. 2 cash, 69c asked; November, 69c; December, 70¾c; January, 72¼c; February, 74½c asked; May, 81c; No. 2 Soft, 80@83c.

CORN—Dull. No. 2 cash and November, 41¼c; year, 38¼c; No Grade, 35c.

OATS—Nominal. No. 2 cash and November, 27c; year, 26½c bid.

Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.

CATTLE—Market rather quiet and prices rather favorable to buyers. Quotations range as follows: Native Shipping Steers, $5.00@6.50 for poor to fair, and $6.00@7.25 for good to prime; Cows, $2.00@4.00; Bulls, $1.75@3.00; Butchers' Steers, $4.00@4.60; Stockers and Feeders, $2.75@4.50; Texans, $3.25@4.20; Western, $3.50@5.25.

HOGS—Market fairly active on packing and shipping account, but prices weak and 5@10c lower. Sales ranged at $4.20@4.75 for light; $4.25@4.65 for rough packing, and $4.70@4.95 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., Nov. 6.

CATTLE—Nothing doing; all through consignment.

HOGS—Firm; Philadelphias, $5.00@5.10; New Yorkers, $4.80@4.95; common, $4.40@4.70.

SHEEP—Dull and unchanged.

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THE country is full of wrecked republican political fortunes.

THE look of "joyousness" in the faces of the republicans is truly alarming.

No "Returning Board," "Eliza Pinkton," or "Electoral Commission" this time.

THE Chicago Times says: "At last accounts the Associated Press was still voting."

THERE is a notable absence of poultry about the Republican office the past two days.

CLEVELAND and Hendricks are elected by the largest vote ever cast for a presidential ticket.

BLAINE will now have time to attend to his libel suit and to write the remainder of his book.

OUR republican friends say it was the prohibitionists that did it. They are not willing to give the "wicked democrats" any credit.

"APPALACHIAN'S artful and" it the expression "rum, Romanism and rebellion," doubtless carried the Empire State for Cleveland.

A DISPATCH received from Terre Haute last evening confirms the report that the Associated Press concedes the election of Cleveland.

MR. C. C. CLARK's majority over Capt. Rowell, in Logan county, is 25. Mr Clark ran ahead of his ticket in that county as well as in Macon.

ALL republicans who have Blaine campaign hats they wish to contribute to the democratic bonfire will please leave them at democratic headquarters.

Now, that Jingo Jim has been retired to private life, he will have plenty of time to attend to his libel suit against the Indianapolis Sentinel.

THE telegraph reports Mr. Blaine very sick. We extend our sympathy but there are several other sick republicans in the country equally worthy of commiseration.

ON Wednesday Commissioner Dudley telegraphed Blaine from Indianapolis that the Hoosier state had gone democratic by 6,000. The next day returns showed a democratic majority of 5081.

TO carry the state of New York over the combined influence of Gould, Huntington, Field & Co., and their railroad and telegraph interests, is a greater victory than that of Jackson at the battle of New Orleans.

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IN accounting for their defeat some of our republican friends charge that the St. John and Butler votes were all taken from their ranks and none from the democrats—that all the dissensions and desertions were in the ranks of the grand old party, while the democrats held together like a band of brothers—or robbers, to use their favorite expression. We admit that there is much truth in the explanation. But we do not consider it very complimentary to the "party of great moral ideas" that its nominations, conduct, and general cussedness has driven much of the honesty, integrity, morality, and even brains, from its ranks, and left it floundering in the Slough of Despond.

THE latest from New York is given in our news columns. The election of Cleveland is conceded by all the great New York papers except the Tribune, which puts in the independent claim of the Associated Press. This is a lying, stock jobbing institution owned and controlled by Jay Gould. Acting on its false reports there are still some republicans that cling to the hope that they are still to have a lease of power. The office holders—the bread and butter brigade—naturally catch at straws; the great monopolists see in the election of Cleveland a death blow to their favorite schemes of jobbery and robbery. Hence the claim that Blaine is elected. The Albany Evening Journal the leading republican organ at the New York capital, concedes Cleveland's election, gives fully as well to seen by our dispatches. It would be well were all as candid.

OUR SCHOOLS

Report of Attendance for Week Ending November 7, 1884.

	Enrolled	Tardy	Absent
HIGH SCHOOL.			
J. W. Gibson	71	9	5
Mary [illegible]	5	1	[illegible]
Minnie A. Luther	52	6	1
Mary Walder	61	4	0
Lilla Best	55	10	5
FIRST WARD.			
[illegible] Evans	40	11	[illegible]
Andrew Hays	52	5	8
Callie M. Brown	41	10	8
Jessie Blue	49	21	1
Annie Linker	51	4	1
Lulie Hobbs	115	17	4
SECOND WARD.			
Edwin Philbrook	43	7	1
Will Pulliam	50	11	2
Lizzie Anderson	42	21	5
Sam C. M. Wilson	42	14	[illegible]
Mary A. Lukens	90	10	7
Anna E. Murphy	90	23	9
THIRD WARD.			
Jennie E. Durfee	98 8	17	2
Anna H. Jack	61	25	2
Ira Anna Redmond	6	8	3
Mary C. Arnold	41	2	4
Harriet A. Dickinson	70		3
Allen C. Philbrook	87	19	2
FOURTH WARD.			
Rosa F. Judson	41	22	1
Nettie V. Hum	[illegible]	20	1
Muriel Woods	38	24	0
Clara W. Bowles	40	11	[illegible]
FIFTH WARD.			
John T. Bowles	56	21	7
Mary A. Barr	57	14	1
Hattie F. Simpson	57	23	1
Laura Montgomery	80	1	1
JONES' SCHOOL.			
Mattie H. Lyon	38	2	[illegible]

Excursion to the

FRISCO LINE MARDI GRAS, 217.

The St Louis & San Francisco railway carried 217 Land and Home-seekers on its California Express Train last night, to various points in Missouri, Arkansas and Kansas. Several counties to hear from.

LANDS AND HOMES.

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Senator Gorman's Circular.

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The feeling about democratic headquarters was so cold that as to Cleveland's election, that the crowd dispersed at noon time.

THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE said they had no news to-day. They still state that Blaine has carried the state and is elected.

Gracefully Conceded.

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At the Capital

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Indiana.

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County. } ss
In the Circuit Court to the December Term, A. D., 1884

CHARLES F. CHURCH, vs. PHOEBE J. CHURCH. } In Chancery No. 12,666.

AFFIDAVIT that Phoebe J. Church, the defendant above named, on due inquiry cannot be found, and that her place of residence cannot be ascertained, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Phoebe J. Church, that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable at the court house, in the City of Decatur, in said county, on the

1st Monday in the Month of Dec. 1884

as is by law required, which cause is now pending and undetermined in said court.

Dated October 17, 1884. E. MCCLELLAN, Clerk.

ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER, Sols. 4t Compl'nt. o16d4t

Chancery Notice

STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss.
COUNTY OF MACON
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ELIZABETH CONRAD vs. DANIEL CONRAD } In Chancery.

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E. MCCLELLAN, Clerk.

Thos. Lee, solicitor for complainant. o19w4

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Ellie A. Shepperd vs. Edwin A. Shepperd. } In Chancery

Affidavit that the said defendant Edwin A. Shepperd on due inquiry cannot be found, so that process cannot be served upon him, and that upon diligent inquiry his place of residence cannot be ascertained having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court.

NOTICE is hereby given to the said Edwin A. Shepperd that the above named complainant Ellie A. Shepperd heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendant returnable on the first day of the December term of the circuit court of Macon county to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur in said county of Macon and state of Illinois, beginning on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1884, as is by law required, and that said suit is now pending in said court.

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E. MCCLELLAN, Clerk.

I. A. Buckingham solicitor for complainant.

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The republican party dies hard.

Even the ladies want to hear the election news.

Heywood's Mastodon Minstrels will be here in a few days.

"Jennie, we have waited till the clouds rolled by," and are happy.

Has Logan sent for the eagle presented to him by the Tuscola club?

Leave orders for coal and wood at Neidermeyer's grocery store. o24tf

D. H. Heilman has just received a car load of Michigan apples. o26i3

President Cleveland—Vice President Hendricks. Sounds good, doesn't it.

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The second premium ribbons worn by republicans the other day are for sale cheap.

"Dar's a heap ob trouble on de old republicans mind," about that New York state.

Charley Bryan would be pleased to have his friends call at John Irwin's White Front.

November 27 has been designated as Thanksgiving day. Democrats will observe it.

Ike Ehrman will have a supply of democratic roosters this afternoon. Call and get one.

Go and see "A Wife's Honor" at the opera house on Monday evening. It is a beautiful play.

The work done at the oil mill fire on Tuesday by the chemical, has been generally complimented.

"Are you ready? Let her go." "$3" for these gent's dandy shoes at L. L. Ferriss & Co's. s26tf

Buy no Child's shoe except the Solar tip, with L. L. Ferris & Co.'s name on every pair. sep27dtf

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There has been a great dearth of local news all week. Too much politics. Things will improve next week.

The republican Danville News of yesterday says: "He who shouts last shouts loudest." "Them's" our sentiments.

Rheumatism and similar diseases, caused by a low state of the system, are cured by using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. d&w1w

Bert Kent always goes with the crowd that is ahead. Tuesday he was a republican and yesterday he was a democrat.

A New York sculptor has just finished a large statue representing Slumber. It is the first policeman ever done in marble.

A deaf and dumb man could tell how an election has gone by reading the faces of republicans listening to Associated Press bulletins.

The wise men of the city will assemble in council again at the city hall on next Monday evening, and transact the city's business.

St. John goes marching home. As a relic of the campaign he takes with him a first-class scandal and the curses of the republican party.

County Clerk Hardy had quite a job on his hands preparing the official vote of the county to be sent to the secretary of state at Springfield.

"Many a flower is born to blush unseen," and many a wife will wait many a day for the silk dress promised her by her husband when he won that bet on the election, you know.

This has been one of the busiest building seasons Decatur has ever known. Everywhere about the city new and handsome residences are thick.

The Western Union will continue furnishing press bulletins as long as they can get anyone to pay $15 a night for them. It is a soft snap for the W. U.

Greatest fall stock of boots and shoes ever shown in Decatur, now ready at L. L. Ferris & Co.'s at prices to suit customers. No better goods in the world. s26tf

A party of six young men were run in the other evening for indulging in the festive game of "two kum five." They all paid a fine of $25 and costs yesterday afternoon.

The annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the state of Illinois will be held at Peoria, commencing on Tuesday, the 18th inst.

Call at J. T. Hand & Co.'s and see their fine display of Chinese and Japanese novelties, decorations, etc. You will see a line of goods never before shown in the city. n2d1w

A fine constitution may be broken and ruined by simple neglect. Many bodily ills result from habitual constipation. There is no medicine equal to Ayer's Pills to correct this evil, and restore the system to natural, regular and healthy action. d&wtf

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The first lecture of the series of three entitled "Days Abroad," by Rev. Dr. Vosburgh, will be delivered at the opera house in this city on Thursday evening next—November 13th.

In the midst of the election excitement yesterday afternoon, a reporter heard that an item had been discovered wandering down a side street. It proved to be only a false rumor.

Messrs. N. B. Gardner and Charley Shannon caught a gray eagle in a steel trap on Monday morning, near Edinburg, Christian county, which measured seven feet from tip to tip.

Mr C. M Spooner, of Blue Mound, has a pumpkin on exhibition, grown by himself, which weighs one hundred and four pounds. There would be a good deal of pie in that pumpkin.

J. W. Baker intends selling his stock of boots and shoes damaged by fire and water at greatly reduced prices. His new stock will equal any in this city, and will be sold as low as any other in the city.

A grand excursion to California, via. New Orleans and the "World's Exposition," will leave Chicago over the Illinois Central R. R., about December 1st—the exact date will be announced in a few days.

When the excitement is all over and the city has settled down into something like its old serenity, business will boom in Decatur again. Every prospect is favorable for a good big business in Decatur this winter.

We invite the ladies to call at our store and see the fine display of Chinese and Japanese decorations. Our first sale met with such success we were induced to largely increase our stock.—[J. T. HAND & Co. n2d1w

Downing & Clarkson invite their friends to call on them at their place, on the south side of the city park They carry an excellent stock of liquors, wines and cigars, and have two perfectly new Manhattan pool tables. o26d2w

"Puck" has a good cartoon this week of a "busted" theatrical troupe walking home. They are going along a snow covered railroad track. Ben. Butler and Belva, arm in arm, leading the way and closely followed by James G. Blaine and St. John.

Capt. Joab Wilkinson, of Niantic, was in the city yesterday and was feeling very sore over the news he heard. He would make a stump speech every fifteen steps he took, declaring this country could not enjoy peace and prosperity without the republican party.

An exceedingly smart Wabash agent at Neeley Station a short distance west of Jacksonville, turned a switch the wrong way the other day, and ditched a freight train. Twenty-five box cars were piled upon the engine, and the engineer sustained painful injuries.

Excursion on Tuesday, October 11th. one fare for the round trip, over the "Frisco Line" to Fredonia, Kansas, and Neosho, Missouri. These tickets will be sold on that day at principal ticket offices throughout the country. For maps of route, etc., apply to Geo. Lower, Decatur, Ill.

This has been a week of glory for the small boys, and in many cases for the big boys and even the men. No matter what the election news has been, they have been given full liberty and allowed to paint the town at will without fear of being molested by the police. The have all improved their opportunity.

New fall goods just received of the latest designs and will be made in the latest style. Look at the appearance of my coats on the street, and it will convince you of where you ought to get your clothes made, and that is at James Veale's, the French Cutter from Cork, 142 Prairie steet. He does not deny his nationality. s24d 65d

Last evening a leading democrat said on a prominent corner: "I don't care if the figures say we've lost New York: we'll steal the state anyhow." —*Republican.* Yes, and yesterday afternoon a prominent republican said "if the democrats came within a few hundred of carrying the state and let it get away from them, they are damphools"

Springfield Monitor: "Superintendent Armstrong has appointed G. E. Cain general roadmaster of the middle division of the Wabash, with headquarters at Decatur. The appointment took effect Wednesday. This will relieve Roadmaster Perry of the care of that part of the middle division between Springfield and Danville. He will retain control of the Chicago and St. Louis branches.

The Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific railway will run an excursion at half the regular fare, to southeastern Kansas and southwestern Missouri, on Tuesday next, the 11th inst. The excursion will run to Kansas City over the Wabash, and then by the Ft. Scott & Gulf to Baxter Springs, Kans. For maps, rates and other information, call on or address Thos. Bivins, land excursion agent, Decatur, Ill.

Profs. Roe Boynton and Gentry gave another exhibition at the rink last evening of their remarkable skill on roller skates. In his imitation of Miss Broadwell, the champion lady roller skater of England, Gentry takes the palm. His lady's costume is "emense," and his skating is easy and graceful. Some of the boys got mashed on Gentry last evening while he was imitating Miss Broadwell, and before they tumbled to the fact that he was not in reality a woman, they tried hard to get up a flirtation.

Yesterday morning at 6:30 o'clock, Dr. Daniel McBride departed this life at the residence of his nephew, No. 845 North Union street. The doctor has been in poor health for several years, and of late has been almost helpless. He was 61 years of age at the time of his demise, and has resided here since 1855. During that time he has been a good conservative citizen, and has won confidence with all who became acquainted with him He was born on December 19, 1823, at Hillsboro, Pike county, Ohio. A wife survives him.

If you want work, or if you wish to hire help; if you wish to buy, or if you wish to sell; if you have money to lend, or if you wish to borrow; if you have a house to let, or if you wish to rent one for yourself; if you wish boarders, or if you wish a place to board; if you have rooms to rent, or if you wish to get a room; if you have lost anything, or if you have found anything; if you have a farm to sell, or if you wish to buy one; if you have a house to sell, or if you wish to buy one; if you have anything to buy, or anything to sell; in short, whatever your wishes or needs may be, the cheapest and the best way to make them thoroughly known in this community is to insert an advertisement in our cheap column—forty words for twenty-five cents.

The campaign has seriously affected the theatrical business Not so much in this city as in other places, but still throughout the country it has been affected. Many good and strong companies have been forced to disband. In the heat of the battle just fought, the people would give no time to shows, thinking only of politics and political meetings. Now that the campaign is ended, prospects for the show business is brightening. Still we will, as we always have had, the best companies on the road. Manager Haines has numerous fine attractive troupes, which will suit the tastes of everyone. Monday evening of next week we will have "A Wife's Honor" company, followed on Tuesday evening by Heywood's Mastodon Minstrels, and on Saturday evening by Comedy Four Specialty Company, in which are the great Murphy, Mack, Morris and Shannon The amusement loving people cannot complain next week.

Happily Wedded.

A happy wedding occurred in this city on Thursday evening, which the REVIEW should have mentioned sooner, but the election news and excitement this week completely reversed the usual order of things. It was the wedding of Mr. R N. Hughson and Miss Estella Matheny. The ceremony having been performed at the residence of the bride's father, on East William street. The relatives and intimate friends of the happy couple witnessed the pleasant event Elder John Tyler pronounced the words that binds their hearts as one, in his beautiful and impressive manner After the ceremony, congratulations were extended Mr. and Mrs. Hughson and the party partook of a splendid repast. Many handsome and costly presents were bestowed upon the couple by their admiring and loving friends.

Mr. Hughson is quite well known in Decatur as a business man of sterling worth and ability. He is engaged in the book and stationery business in Commercial block, on East Eldorado street, and is progressive and prosperous. The bride is equally well known here and is a popular favorite among a large circle of acquaintances.

The couple will make this city their future home, and the REVIEW hopes that in married life they will meet with peace and prosperity.

A "Wife's Honor"

On Wednesday evening the new play, "A Wife's Honor," will be presented at the opera house by a splendid company, with Miss Lillian Dunstan in the leading role. The Philadelphia Dispatch says the following of the company: "This handsome and comfortable theatre opened for the season, last evening, with Lawrence Marston's thrilling drama, "A Wife's Honor." The piece was elegantly cast. The principal parts were enacted by Mr Frank Evans, Miss Lillian Dunstan and Mr. Lawrence Marston. An audience that filled the lower part of the house gave unmistakable demonstrations of approval. The representations will gain in artistic finish by repetition. "A Wife's Honor" to-morrow evening and all through this week." Popular prices 35, 50 and 75 cents.

"The Corner Grocery."

Dan Sully, the great Irish comedian appears here next Wednesday in his new play, 'The Corner Grocery," of which the New York News says the following: "Mr. Dan Sully has made the biggest kind of a hit in his play, 'The Corner Grocery,' at Tony Pastor's theatre. The best evidence of the hit is in the fact that hundreds of persons were turned away from the doors of the theatre every evening last week. Those who were so fortunate as to get in screamed with delight during the two hours and a half which it took to show the doings of the bad boy and the tribulations of his father, Michael Nolan (Mr. Dan. Sully.) The play will probably run all summer." Popular prices; 35, 50 and 75 cents.

Another Fire.

An alarm of fire was sounded last evening and the paid department came out in good style. It proved to be in the third story of the building occupied by Green's tailor shop, and in a very few moments the chemical was on the scene and working splendidly. The flames were extinguished before any great damage was done. The fire originated from a stove pipe running from Green's shop on the second floor, through the third floor of the building.

The Accommodating Line,

The Illinois Midland railway has opened a city office in the American express building to accommodate their many patrons who may desire any information regarding ticket or freight rates. o23d1w

PERSONAL.

Cleveland is the man.

A. H. Locke is in Champaign on business.

Dr. W. A Barnes left last evening for Harrisburg, Pa.

Mrs. McDonald did a big business in blue ribbon yesterday afternoon.

I D. Walker went to Springfield yesterday afternoon on legal business.

Miss Kate DeBolt, of St. Louis, who has been visiting here for some time returned home last evening.

John E. Hopwood, representing Heywood's Mastodon Minstrel company, was in the city yesterday making arrangements for the appearance of that troupe in this city on Tuesday evening next.

Funeral Notice

The funeral service of the late Dr. Samuel McBride will take place at the Episcopal church at 3 o'clock p. m. to-day. Friends of the family are invited.

Masonic.

Regular communication of Macon Lodge No. 8. A. F. and A M., this (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Joseph S Brown, deceased.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Joseph S Brown, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur, at the November term, on the

Third Monday in November Next,

at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 25th day of September, 1884.

HORACE E. PEVERLY, Administrator.
25d1w

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BY THE LIGHT OF DAY.

Past Impossibilities the Facts of the Present—Help in the New Era.

"I remember when they were putting up the poles for the first telegraph line in the State of New York, and now look there!" exclaimed a citizen of the metropolis to his friend, as the two stood on the summit of the tall Equitable building in Broadway. "The city is strung with wires like a harp, and electric communication is the daily miracle of the world. People no longer wonder and laugh at it as they did at Morse when he first suggested its possibility."

The age marches on and prejudice must give way. Nobody has a monopoly of truth. Even the conservative guild of physicians admit that the secrets of medicine are shared by all men.

"I dressed his wound, and God healed him," said old Galen. Once that terrible disease, rheumatism was supposed to be a shifting, local ailment, now attacking the joints and now the muscles. To-day it is demonstrated to be a disease of the blood.

Mrs. Henry Bogert, of No. 454 Atlantic Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., writes to Messrs Hiscox & Co., of New York, proprietors of Parker's Tonic that "she had been completely disabled from Rheumatism and pain in the back and limbs. She was advised to take the Tonic for kidney disease. She did so, and her Rheumatism disappeared." The reason is simple. Diseased Kidneys produce rheumatic symptoms. Cure them and you cure Rheumatism. It is now admitted by all. The prestige of old systems is the new light thrown on their time-worn and mistaken theories.

Parker's Tonic which is a combination of the best remedies for the blood known to science, is universally successful in overcoming all kidney complaints. Those who, like Mrs Bogert, suffer in kidney or bladder disorders or any impure state of the blood, will find the Tonic prompt and certain remedy. Prices, 50 and $1 per bottle. The larger size the cheaper.

Executor's Sale.

THE undersigned executor of the last will and testament of Jacob Becker, deceased, will sell at public sale, at the late residence of the deceased one mile northwest of the city, on the Mt. Pulaski road on

Thursday, November 6,

the following property, to-wit: span of good mares one family horse, one fresh milch cow, two yearling heifers, twenty-eight hens (five roosters under age), twenty-eight shoats and pigs, one two-horse wagon, one feed wagon, one spring wagon, ten tons of hay, wine and cider press, stack of straw, plows, harrows and all kinds of farming implements, farming tools of all kinds. Also household goods. Terms of sale—A credit of 12 months will be given on all purchases of $5 or over, purchaser giving note with approved security. Eight per cent off for cash. All purchases under $5, cash.

JACOB BUELSMEIN, Executor.

Stray Horse

CAME to the residence of the subscriber in Decatur township two miles north of this city, a black horse with black mane and tail, shod all round about fifteen hands high, and heavy set. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be disposed of according to law.

JOHN SAWYER,
Decatur, Ill

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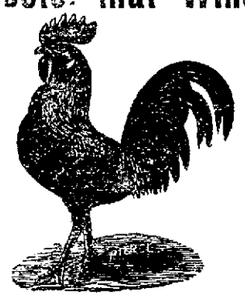

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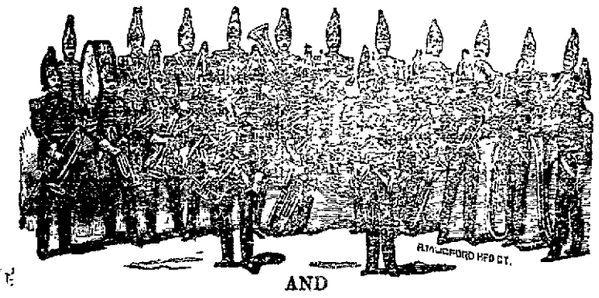

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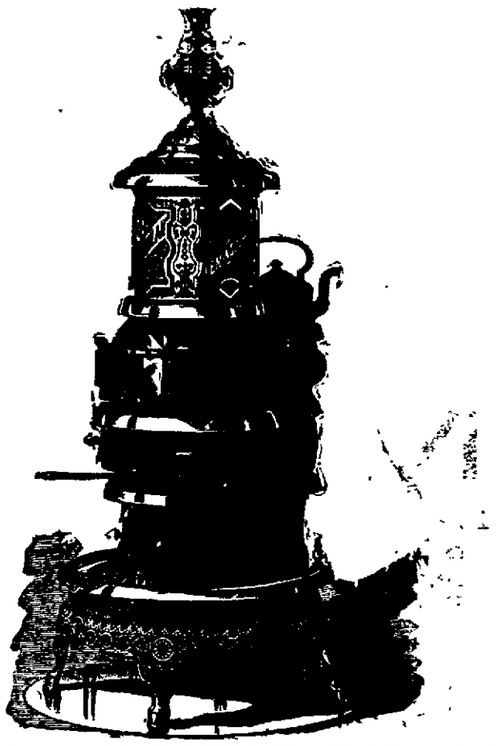

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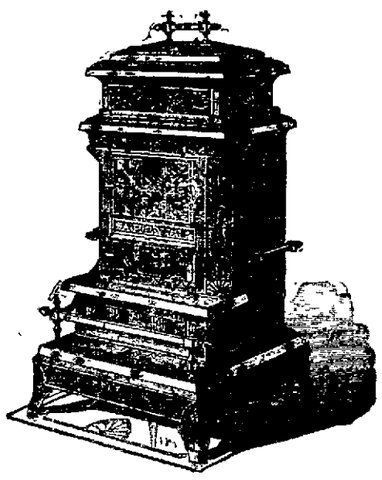

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Dissolution Notice.

THE firm of C. O. Platt & Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Judson retiring from the firm. Mr. Judson will remain in the employ of C. O. Platt who will continue the business at the old place, and will collect all money and settle all accounts of the old firm.

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250 long sacks, lined Canada greys, $3.75, they ask you 8 00 dollar. Will refund the money if not as represented.
300 fine chinchilla in blue, black and brown, at $4.25, sold by others for $9
175 fine, heavy weight cashmere, in twenty different patterns, full length. All wool guaranteed. Only 5 00, worth 12 00 dollars.
200 Prince Charles and Ulsters, unlined, with Astracan collars and cuffs, 9.00 dollars. Solid wool Guaranteed. They all ask you 20.00 dollars
150 fine English black and blue diagonal worsted, finely trimmed for stylish young men. 8.00; cannot be bought anywhere else in the city for less than 18.00 dollars.
125 heavy and light weight beaver in all shades, fast colors, all wool, 9.00, elsewhere, 16.00.

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Has received an immense new stock of Heavy Suits of Men's, Youths', Boys' and Children's Clothing. We quote you some of the Prices:

MEN'S DEPARTMENT:

200 worsted suits, all colors, 4 dollars, worth 10 dollars.
200 all wool suits, all colors, 5 dollars worth 12 dollars and 50 cents.
300 cassimere suits, all colors, 6 and 7 dollars, worth 15 dollars.
750 Harris' cassimere suits, all colors, 8 dollars, worth 18 dollars. Come and examine these and you will be surprised
150 Slater's Cassimere suits 10 dollars, worth 20 dollars.
100 fine cheviot suits, 12 dollars, worth 22 dollars. We have these in all colors for both old and young men.
1500 fine, all wool worsted suits, 9 dollars, worth 20 dollars
1900 imported corkscrew suits, other houses selling them for 28 dollars, for 13 dollars
1500 fine diagonal black suits, worth 24 dollars, for 12 dollars
64 satin lined suits 15 dollars, worth 35.

Young men give us a call, we will surely please you. We also carry an immense stock of extra sizes We can fit a man 52 in the waist. There are many other styles of fine men's suits, and if you will give us a call we can convince you that we carry the best goods for the least money in the world

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In this department is complete. we can suit any one either in quality color or price. Our suits range in price as follows:

Youth's suits from 3r to 37. 1 to $9 dollars worth from 5 to 22 dollars
Boy's suits, for which other store keepers ask and receive 5 dollars, we will sell for $1.50
As for our children's clothing we can please one and all. Our suits range from 75 cents to dollars, which we can assure you are prices which have never before been offered

Furnishing Goods.

Read these prices, then bring this paper with you and be convinced that we only advertise as we sell, not just to attract attention:

UNDERWEAR.

Knit [white and colored] 15 cents, worth 35 cents
Heavy cotton shirts and drawers 25 cents, worth 60 cents
Fine merino such as have never been sold less than 3 dollars per suit, we will sell you for 1 dollar
Fleece lined shirts and drawers worth 4 dollars per suit, 1 dollar and a half
Canton flannel drawers 25 cents, worth 75 cents
Best our scarlet shirts and drawers beat them all.
1200 dozen of fine all wool scarlet for 75 cents, which no one can sell you less than 1 dollar
1000 doz medicated worth everywhere from 2 dollars and 25 cents to 2 dollars and 50 cents, for 1 dollar and 25 cents
White and colored shirts in immense quantities for 69 cents, not one of them worth less than from 1 dollar to 2 dollars and 25 cents.
Overalls and jackets 25 cents, worth 1 dollar
All wool cardington jackets 75 cents, worth 1 dollar and 50 cents
Linen collars 5 cents, worth 20 cents
Socks, cotton and wool, at most any price from 2½ cents to 25 cents, worth these times that amount.
Suspenders from 5 to 25 cents, those for 25 cents being silk finish and worth 75 cents.
A hundred more articles we can show you when you come.

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Our Hat Stock is Very Large.

Wool hats from 25 cents to 75 cents, worth 75 cents to $1.50.
Fine fur hats $1 to $1.25, worth from $2.50 to $3.50. The stetson being among them.
Caps of all description for both men, boys and children.
100 boy's school overcoats, long and heavy weight $3.25, cheap at $7.
100 boy's and youth's dress overcoats $5 75.
375 overcoats for boy's and children $3.50, worth $6.50.

PANTS DEPARTMENT.

200 black spring bottom jeans $1, regular price $2.50.
500 for hard farm work, lined, grey and brown, running to extra size, $1.25 all wool.
300 all wool plain cassimere $2.50, sold all over the city at $5.
250 all wool Scotch facy pattern $2.75, worth $5.75.
100 Harris cassimere in desirable stripes $3, elsewhere $6.50.
For stylish young men, 100 all wool heavy winter weight, stripes and check in fast colors, $3.50, by other dealers $7.
100 all wool corkscrew worsted for full dress, in wine, green, blue and brown, $12.50, finely trimmed and cut, sold by compititors for $22.50.
100 Melton's medium weight for business or dress $8.75, elsewhere $15.00
185 English kerseys, six shades, $8.75, by others $18.00.
300 Scotch fancy patterns $8.00, anywhere else $15 00.
400 extra size beaver, and cassmere all wool $10.00.
100 fine chinchillas for young men $9.25.
180 extra size plain pattern $4.00, worth $6 50.
600 extra size fancy worsted and plain $5.00 equal to finest merchant tailor
800 heavy winter all wool cassmere in varied patterns $4.00.
400 all wool pants $1.85, worth $4.50.
300 boy's pants for school $1.00, sold by dealers for $3.00.

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AN INTERVIEW WITH DICKENS

At the Astor House in 1842—Mrs. Dickens' Apology.

[Cor. Boston Budget.]

The first time I met Charles Dickens was in 1842, when, as he said himself, he came here on business and the Yankees chose to make fools of themselves. His business was to obtain the passage of an international copyright law, and failing in that he felt nothing but bitterness towards the people who had treated him so hospitably. He put up at the Astor house, and there I went armed with a letter from James W. Gerard, the celebrated lawyer, who was a prominent member of the committee who had received Dickens, and who had paid the great author much personal attention. I suppose I may have overstepped the bounds of etiquette, but I was not aware of it, when I took with me Robert H. Elton, who will be remembered by old New Yorkers as the publisher of "Elton's Comic Almanac," the preceder of all the funny papers. We were ushered with much shoddy ceremony up to Dicken's reception room where fortunately, as it proved, there were very few people, and found Dickens's looking ungracefully in a chair with several obsequious looking citizens standing about him, while Mrs. Dickens was looking out of the window onto Broadway. My first impression of the couple was that Charles was a decided snob, being dressed as no American gentleman ever dressed, loaded with jewelry, and that she was as loud in that particular as a woman as he was as a man. He scanned my letter through his glass, looked at me superciliously, and "Well!" came snappishly from his mouth. I was a little taken back but tried to say something, which something was, "Truth lies at the bottom of a well, Mr. Dickens."

"Who's that?" was his unsmiling response, pointing at Elton, who was not a man to be easily taken aback, but looked annoyed. I introduced him. Dickens did not respond, but looked at the letter again through his glass, and then said:

"It's not customary, where I came from, when you have a letter of introduction to take anybody with you. I don't know how you do it here."

I said nothing, and at this moment Mrs. Dickens came to our aid, and, in a very ladylike and gentle way, drew us aside to the window, volunteering the remark, "Mr. Dickens isn't very well this morning," and then endeavored to entertain us by asking questions for fifteen or twenty minutes, when we took our leave, Dickens barely noticing us as we departed.

"He's a hog," growled Elton, when we got into the street, and I was not disinclined to agree with him.

The next time I saw Charles Dickens was a dozen or more years ago, when he again came on business, to read to the Yankees, and as his business was pre-eminently successful he was more amiable. He put up at the Westminster hotel, and I was introduced by his old and especial friend, Arthur Mathie on, then residing in this city. This time I found Dickens pleasant enough and sufficiently talkative, but his talk was Charles Dickens, and nothing but Charles Dickens. He invited us to stay to lunch, which we did, and during which Dickens talked incessantly about himself and swallowed bumpers of champagne until his talk became monotonous and a trifle maudlin. This, however, does not take away the fact that he was the greatest writer of fiction that the world has ever produced.

Wanted to Drown His Sorrows.

[Rochester Democrat.]

A dark look of despair was on his countenance as he came slowly into the office and sat down upon a convenient bench. There was a sort of wild glare in his eye, which might to the casual observer indicate the presence of an overpowering and deep-seated sorrow or an undigested dinner.

"Is this the editorial room?"

"Precisely," answered the religious editor.

"The place where so much rope is given to soaring intellects?"

"Exactly."

"And do you know that autumn is here?"

"There has been a slight prejudice that way."

"That the crimson leaves have been mournfully floating from the trees and sighed as they left the naked branches. That like memories of the past they have charmed the senses for a moment and then sunk down in a melancholy oblivion?"

"I guess so"

"The cadence of the autumn wind has been sorrowful to my mind. It sounds like sweet strains of music from a distance; something like standing outside of a theater, without a ticket, and listening to the orchestra inside."

"Well?"

"I wanted to tell you. My life is something like this autumn. Through the halls of memory there comes a whisper which tells me that summer has flown and that a faint odor of her lovely flowers is borne upon the filmy wings of bitter recollection. Did you ever look upon a package of old letters, untouched for year, yellowed with age, and through the musty pages catch a faint scent of mignonette that brought a thought of dainty fingers which traced the words of a letter to you in the long ago?"

"Hardly."

"I have. My life has been steeped in misfortune, and I have tried to drown the bitter thoughts in the flowing bowl Such is my purpose now. I wish to stay the uprising flood of thoughts which only brings unconquerable sorrow. But I have only 5 cents. A glass of whisky costs 10. Will you give me a nickel?"

The office steps are steep, and when he landed at the bottom the bitter recollection of a past grief had given place to a present and painful sorrow.

Reconnoitering.

[Georgia Cracker.]

A young negro man looked in at the window of the Atlanta police station and anxiously inquired:

"Captin', is you alls got Bill Davis in de cauly house yit?"

"Yes; do you want to see him?"

"No, sah! I dess wanted ter kno' whudder I cood go down ter his house ter-night."

"Well, you can ask him!"

"I don't wanter ax 'im; I dess wanted ter kno' ef he wuz hyar, an' gwinter ter stay in."

"What do you mean?"

"Well, boss; I'se co'tin' Bill's gal, an'—an'—yer see, I'se de berry same nigger whut he busted down er panel ob fence wid las' Chusday night!"

He was assured that Bill was safe for the night.

An Affecting Parting.

[Exchange.]

They were parting on the door-step. Her head was resting on his shoulder and he was looking down into her upturned eyes, etc., ad nauseam.

A bulldog swung slowly around the corner and bit great chunks out of his legs.

He never noticed the ravages of the animal until he was half-way home, so absorbed was he in the crowding chaos of his blissful dreams.

This gives one a faint idea of how deep-seated and abiding his passion for the girl must necessarily have been.

WHERE WILL IT END?

A Chicago Workingman's Discourse on Foreign-Born Labor.

Americans Going to the Wall and Thrifty Poles, Bohemians and Italians Coming to the Front.

[Chicago News Interview.]

"Thousands of Poles, Bohemians, Italians, and other foreigners are getting rich in this city on wages which would not be sufficient to keep Americans, Irishmen, and Germans from going hungry. It will only be a few years before the wage-workers who really care for the comfort and happiness of their families will find no place to hold them in this whole big city. The Americans are going to the wall, and the thrifty Poles, Bohemians, and others are coming to the front How do they do it? Let me tell you.

"I have lived in this city since 1863. When I first came here I could almost count on my fingers all the Poles living north of Chicago avenue. Now that part of the city lying between Chicago and Milwaukee avenues and the river is almost given up to the Poles. More are coming to the city all the time. The young folks marry at a very early age and generally raise large families. The Polish laborer lives with his wife and family in one or two little rooms. He works at anything he can get and for any wages he can get. When he goes to ask for work he asks for nothing else—the wages may be anything. Perhaps he gets 75 cents a day, perhaps he gets $2 a day—at least he gets something, and isn't idle. Then his wife, in all probability, is working, barefoot, in a garden at the northern border of the city. She gets 60 or 75 cents a day. Large numbers of Polish women are employed in the great market gardens between here and Ravenswood. I meet them going and coming, walking with bare feet and perhaps carrying heavy loads of firewood or of unsalable vegetables. They find employment in the gardens from April until November. Many Polish women also wheel brick in the yards at Lake View. Others sew in tailoring establishments, and make about $1 a day. Others sew or knit at home. Meanwhile the children are busy picking up wood from the river, or bark from the tanneries or elsewhere, or coal from the railway tracks, or worn-out paving blocks from the streets.

Go to the little homes of the Poles and you will find great piles of fuel stored away for winter which did not cost them a cent. Hundreds of Irish and German laborers have no fuel laid up for the winter and no money to buy any The Polish people have the money but do not need to use it. When the man and his wife come home from their day's work they generally bring fuel or food with them I think they seldom buy meat, other than a link of sausage or something of that sort I have watched them make their purchases of food. A family will generally buy a loaf of bread, a pint of milk, a pint of beer or some schnapps. That will do for supper. I have seen Poles go among the merchants on South Water street gathering up decayed fruit and vegetables, tainted meat and fowls, to take home for food. They are overcrowded in their houses, and no matter how much they desire to be cleanly they find it next to impossible to be so. But they save money and put it into building associations. Pretty soon they draw out money enough to build large brick houses. One of these houses will be rented to a dozen tenants. Every penny earned is saved. The Polish laborers grow rich and the Irish, Americans and Germans of the same class grow poorer and poorer. How can these compete with people like the Poles?

"Look at the Polish weddings. A boy and a girl get married without owning a penny. All they have earned up to that time has gone to their parents. But all the guests when they dance with the bride are expected to contribute something to start them in life. The $40 or $50 thus gathered up will buy them a cook-stove and a little furniture. It is strictly a business wedding, and the couple go steadily to work to get rich. The man will never stay in the house and be idle. If he can't find anything else to do he takes a big bag and goes out to see what he can find. He will come home in the evening with the bag full of wood, or coal, or bones, or paper, or rags, or old clothes, or anything else which he can use or sell. That is the kind of people that get along in this world.

"Now, look at me. I have a wife and three children. I must have bread, meat, and potatoes for them and myself. We can do without butter and coffee and tea. We must have clothes. There is scarcely a month in the year that I do not have to buy each of the little fellows a new pair of shoes. How can I save money? My wife cannot and shall not work in a garden or a brick-yard. She shall not take in washing or sew in a tailor's shop. I am out of work sometimes, but I will not carry a bag on my back and gather up bones to sell. I buy my fuel and let my children go to school. My wages are lower than they were before the Polish laborers came here and cheapened work, along with the Italians and others. But my expenses are no lighter. Where is it going to end? I live as cheaply as I can. If wages drop again and living gets no lower I will have to move to somewhere else, I reckon."

Mutual Toleration.

[Detroit Post.]

"My dear," said a wife to her husband, "I know that I am dreadfully cross with you at times, that I am not patient as I should be, and think the same can be said of you."

"Yes, certainly," he frankly acknowledged, "I am almost as bad as you are."

"What's that?"

"I—I say that I am just as much to blame as you are."

"I think," went on the lady, "that we ought to cultivate a mutual toleration of each other's faults," and she bent over him fondly and kissed him.

"You are not looking well to-night, my dear," he said, stroking her hair.

"No," she replied, "my feet pain me dreadfully."

"That's because you wear shoes two sizes too small for you."

Then the trouble began once more.

Wanted an Editor Who "Writes."

[Chronicle "Undertones."]

A few days ago a young lady was introduced to a gentleman at a party.

"They tell me you are a newspaper man."

"I am." He was going to say he had the honor, but he thought it an inopportune occasion for just pride.

"And you are one of the editors?"

"I am. I am the telegraph editor."

"Do you write?"

"Oh, no."

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[Texas Half-Moon.]

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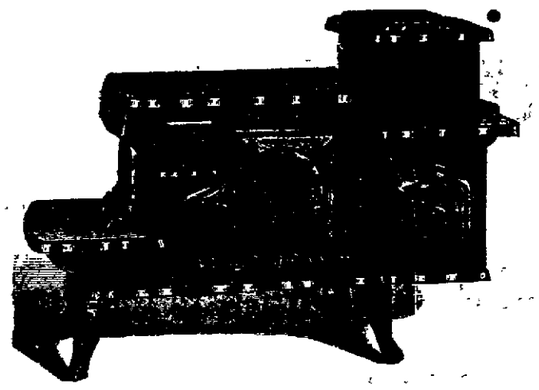

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